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TO AMCONSUL CURACAO

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TAGS: EAID, ENRG, SWEL, MILI, NA, VE

SUBJ: CURACAO WATER SHORTAGE

REF: CARACAS 8159

1. AMCONSULATE MARACAIBO REPORTS THE SEALIFT ARTIC ARRIVED MARACAIBO AT 23:00 ON JULY 4. THE SEALIFT ARTIC COMPLETED FLUSHING ITS TANKS AND COMMENCED LOADING WATER AT 14:00 ON JULY 5 AND PLANS TO DEPART FOR CURACAO AT 15:00 ON JULY 6 WITH APPROXIMATELY 14,000 TONS OF WATER ON BOARD. CAPTAIN ASHLEY M. GORDON INFORMED THE CONSUL THAT HE HOPES TO MAKE 12 ROUND TRIPS DURING THE NEXT 30 DAYS. MARACAIBO REPORTS THAT THE WATER WORKS (INOS) CREWS WERE ON THE DOCK WAITING FOR THE SEALIFT ARTIC AND THAT THERE HAVE BEEN NO TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES. OFFICIALS OF THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES AND INOS ARE COORDINATING THE SCHEDULES OF THE SEALIFT ARTIC AND THE STOLT-PUMA TO TRY AND ASSURE THE MAXIMUM TONNAGE OF FRESH WATER FOR CURACAO. AMCONSULATE MARACAIBO WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE SEALIFT ARTIC DURING THE DURATION OF THE OPERATION. THE CONSUL DELIVERED A WRITTEN COPY OF THE PORT CLEARANCE FOR THE SEALIFT ARTIC TO CAPTAIN GORDON FOR HIS RECORDS.

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